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Summer Pap
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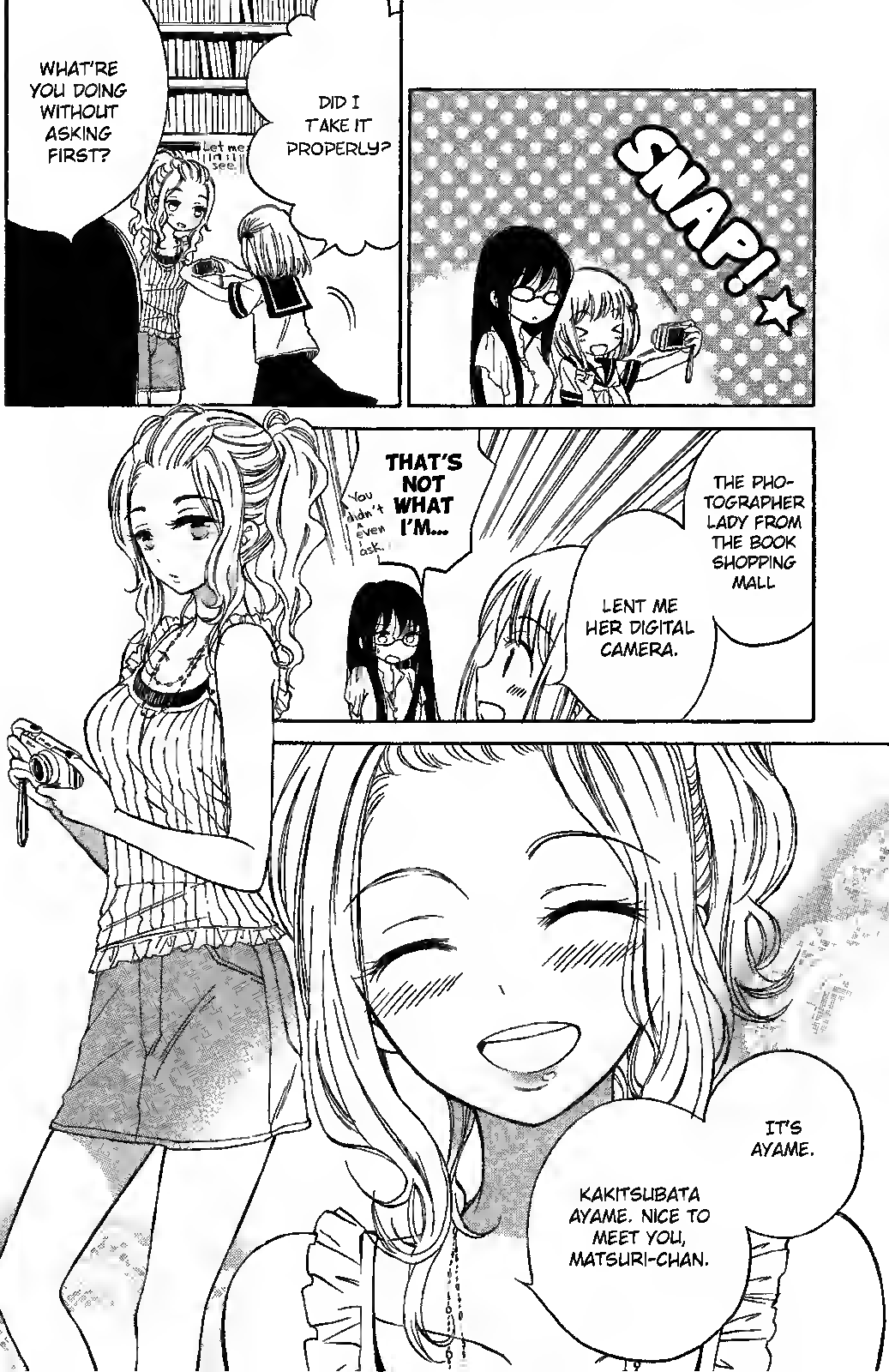
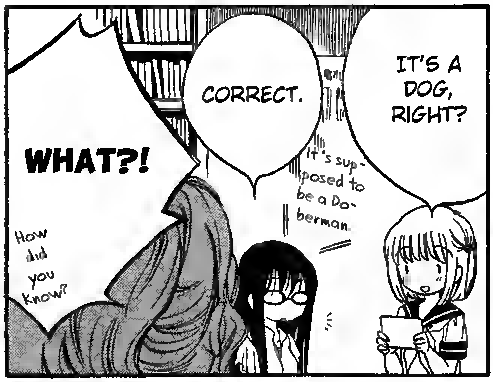
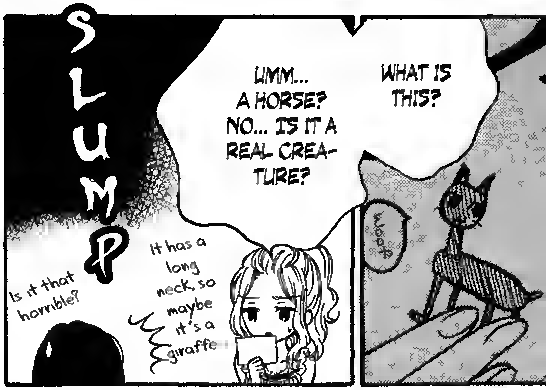
I GUESS IT'LL BE SUMMER BREAK SOON...
Chapter 21
MISS SUNFLOWER, MISS SUNFLOWER!


WHAT'RE YOU DOING WITHOUT ASKING FIRST?
Let me see it!
DID I TAKE IT PROPERLY?
SNAP!
You didn't even ask.
THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M...
THE PHOTOGRAPHER LADY FROM THE BOOK SHOPPING MALL
LENT ME HER DIGITAL CAMERA.
IT'S AYAME.
KAKITSUBATA AYAME. NICE TO MEET YOU, MATSURI-CHAN.

NO.
Can I take her home with me?
Cuuu uuuu uute!
...
AYAME-SAN.
I'm Kazama Tsuri Matsuri
I'M MAKING SIGNS.
WHAT'RE YOU DOING, MISS SUN-FLOWER?
...Urk...
Summer Paper-back Sale
...IT'S KIND OF PLAIN, HUH?
Heh
HM? WHAT'S THIS?

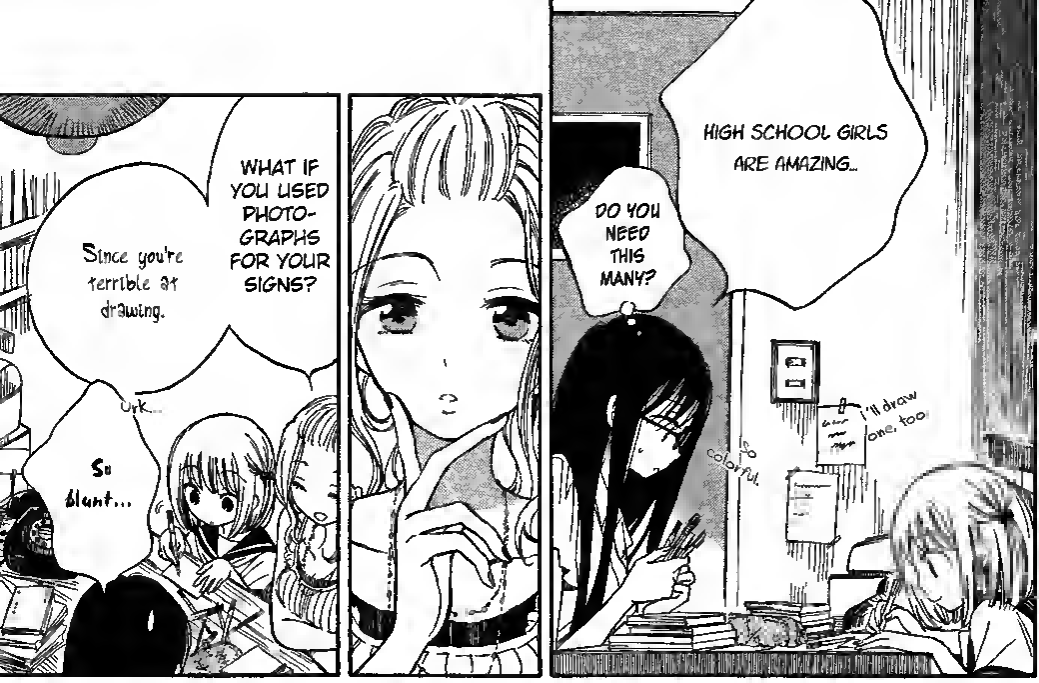
...
Paper-
Sale
THERE WAS SOME EXTRA SPACE, SO I TRIED DRAWING A PICTURE.

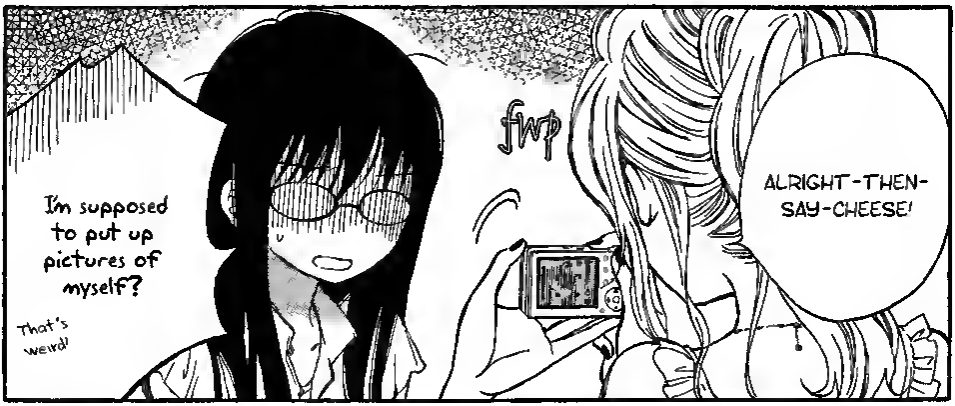

IT'S A DOG, RIGHT?
CORRECT.
WHAT?!
It's supposed to be a Doberman.
How did you know?


SLUMP
WHAT IS THIS?
UMM... A HORSE? NO... IS IT A REAL CREATURE?
It has a long neck, so maybe it's a giraffe
Is it that horrible?
sniff

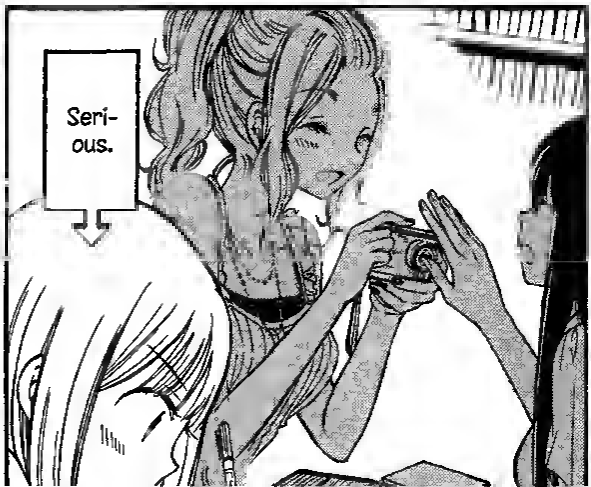
CLATTER
HERE YOU GO! PLEASE HELP YOURSELF.
!

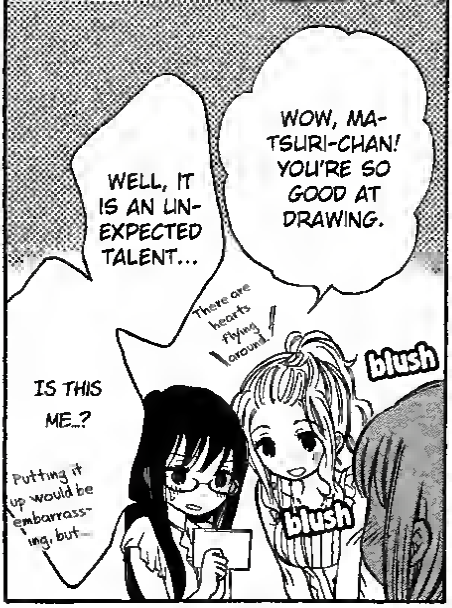
OH!
I HAVE LOT'S OF PENS


HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS ARE AMAZING...
DO YOU NEED THIS MANY?
so colorful
I'll draw one, too
WHAT IF YOU USED PHOTO-GRAPHS FOR YOUR SIGNS?
Since you're terrible at drawing.
Uhk...
So blunt...


ALRIGHT-THEN-SAY-CHEESE!
fwp
I'm supposed to put up pictures of myself?
That's weird!

PHEW
FINISHED!

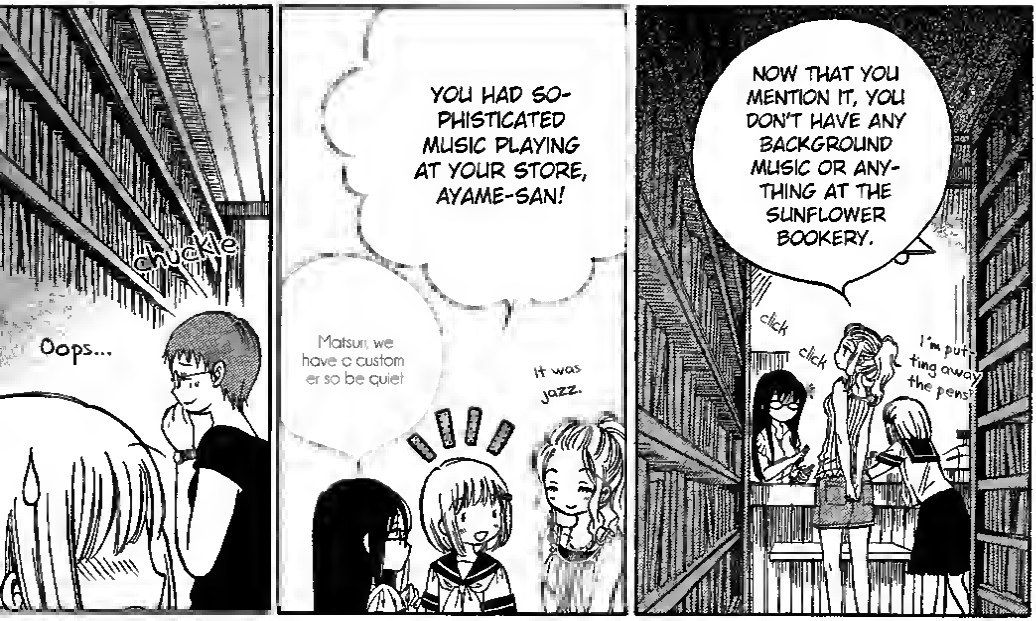

Seri-ous.


WOW, MATSURI-CHAN! YOU'RE SO GOOD AT DRAWING.
WELL, IT IS AN UNEXPECTED TALENT...
There are hearts flying around!
blush
blush
IS THIS ME...?
Putting it up would be embarrassing, but...

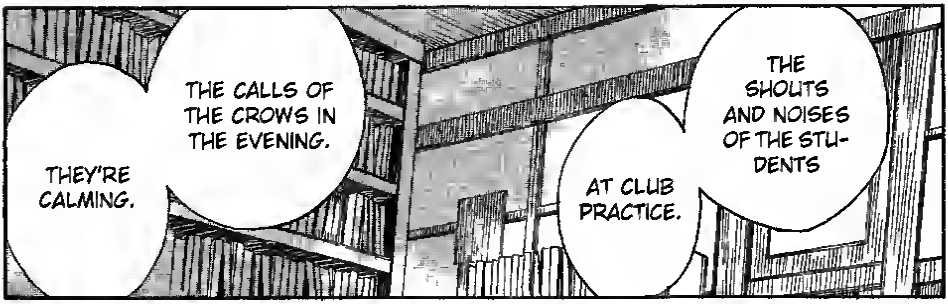
Miss Sunflower's
Recommendation!

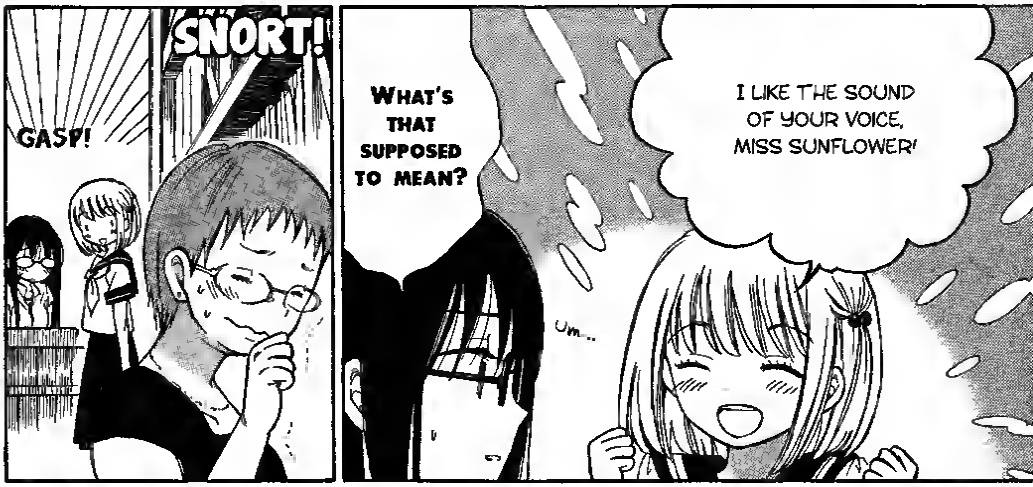
WELCOME!
RATTLE
RATTLE

click
click
click


chuckle
Oops...
YOU HAD SOPHISTICATED MUSIC PLAYING AT YOUR STORE, AYAME-SAN!
Matsuri, we have a customer so be quiet
It was jazz.
NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT, YOU DON'T HAVE ANY BACKGROUND MUSIC OR ANYTHING AT THE SUNFLOWER BOOKERY.
click
click
I'm putting away the pens!

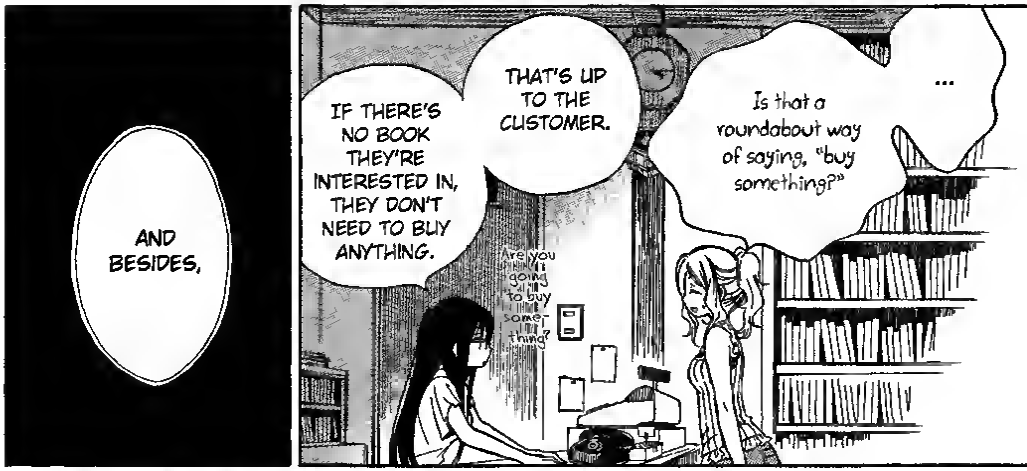
WELL,
I GUESS IT'S THAT I REALLY LIKE
THE SOUNDS YOU CAN HEAR FROM FAR AWAY
MUSIC, HUH?
DO YOU NOT LIKE IT VERY MUCH?
NO, IT'S NOT THAT, BUT...


THE CALLS OF THE CROWS IN THE EVENING.
THEY'RE CALMING.
THE SHOUTS AND NOISES OF THE STUDENTS
AT CLUB PRACTICE.

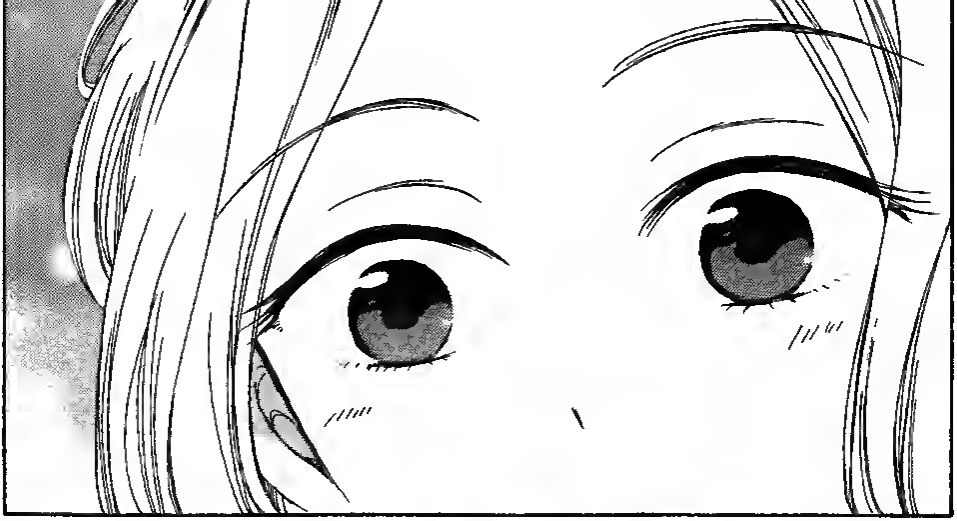

SNORT!
GASP!
WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN?
I LIKE THE SOUND OF YOUR VOICE, MISS SUNFLOWER!
Um...

Thank you very much!
IT'S PRETTY LIVELY JUST HAVING MATSURI-CHAN HERE.
MATSURI'S LOUD.

I'M SORRY. I JUST CAME BY WITHOUT LETTING YOU KNOW.
HUH?
AREN'T YOU GOING TO ASK ME WHY I CAME?
DO YOU NEED A SPECIAL REASON
TO COME TO A BOOK STORE?

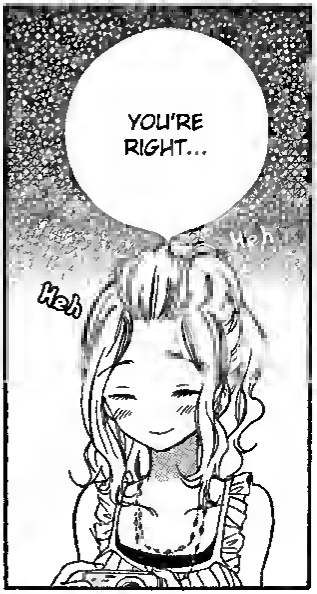

AND BESIDES,
IF THERE'S NO BOOK THEY'RE INTERESTED IN, THEY DON'T NEED TO BUY ANYTHING.
THAT'S UP TO THE CUSTOMER.
Are you going to buy something?
...
Is that a roundabout way of saying, "buy something?"

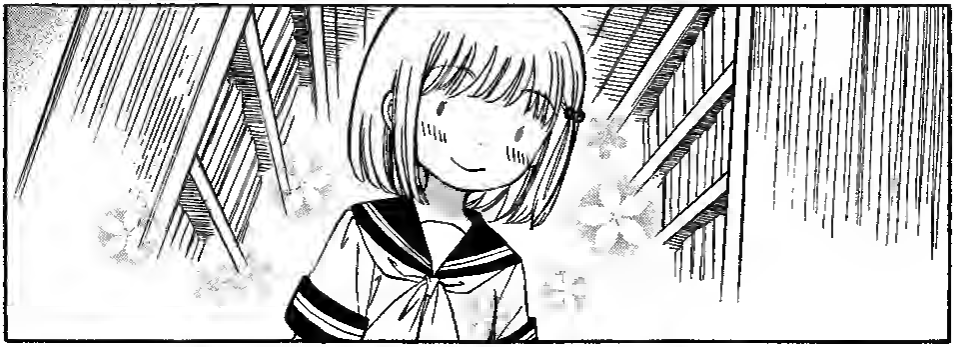
WE'RE FRIENDS, SEMPAI.

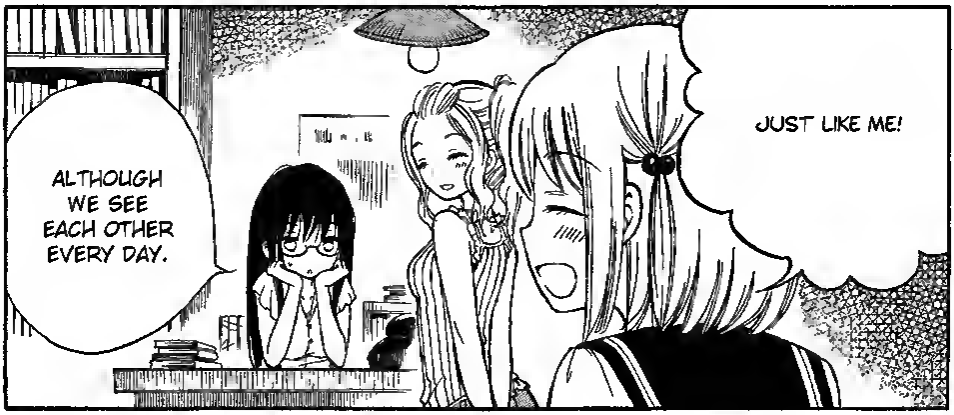


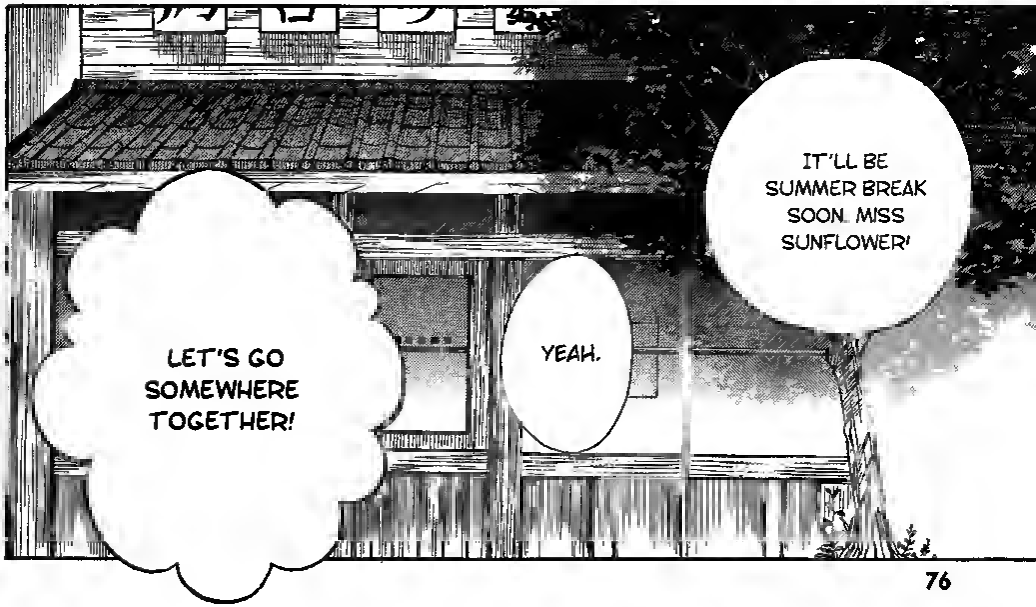
DON'T
JUST
TAKE
IT!
Too close!

I JUST CAME
BECAUSE I WANTED TO SEE YOU.


YOU'RE RIGHT...
Heh
Heh

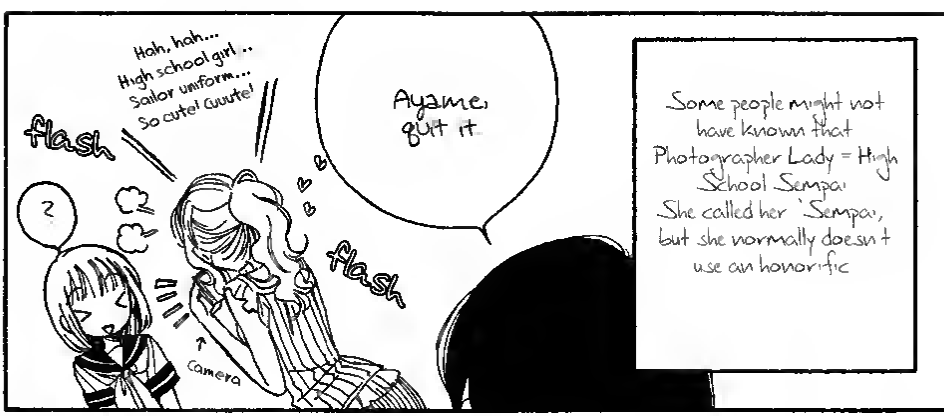



ALTHOUGH WE SEE EACH OTHER EVERY DAY.
JUST LIKE ME!

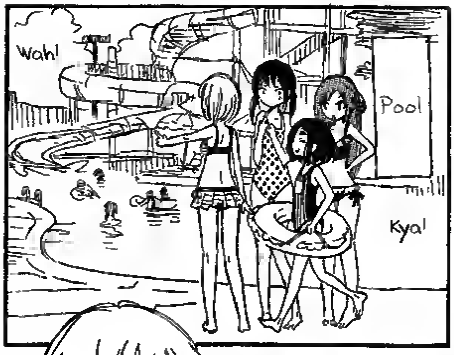

IT'LL BE SUMMER BREAK SOON. MISS SUNFLOWER!
YEAH.
LET'S GO SOMEWHERE TOGETHER!

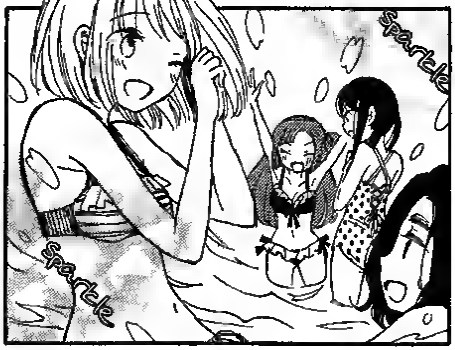
OH!
YOU CAN'T TAKE EVEN ONE DAY OFF?
I HAVE WORK THOUGH.
...YOU JUST RE-MEMBERED THAT NOW, DIDN'T YOU?
EARLIER YOU SAID YOU'D LISTEN TO MY REQUEST, RIGHT?
※ Chapter 18
SPEAKING OF...
IS THAT OKAY?
YES!
SHOULDN'T YOU ASK SOMETHING LIKE, "PLEASE HELP ME STUDY?"
HUH?
shi
I
ne
WANT TO GO OUT SOMEWHERE WITH YOU!

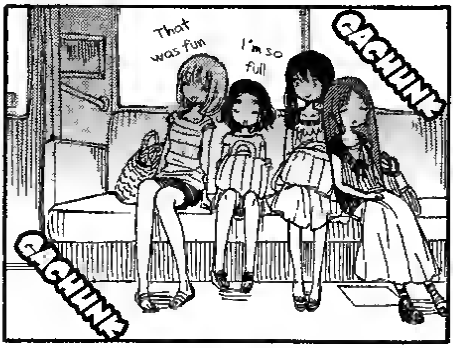
ST-STUDY-ING...?
OH, BUT, MY JAPANESE GRADES HAVE BEEN GOING UP, LITTLE BY LITTLE...
...
THEN I'LL THINK ABOUT IT.
!
THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S SUMMER.
IT'S HEATING UP IN HERE!

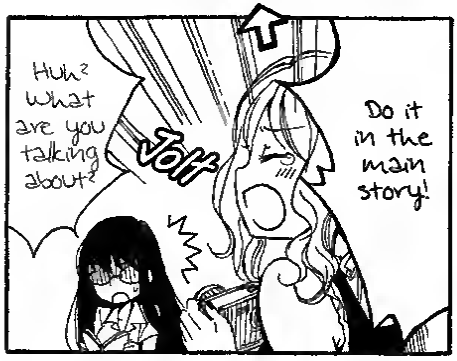

Hah, hah...
High school girl...
Sailor uniform...
So cute! Cuute!
flash
?
flash
Camera
Ayame, quit it.
Some people might not have known that Photographer Lady = High School Sempai
She called her 'Sempai', but she normally doesn't use an honorific

The Start of Summer Break



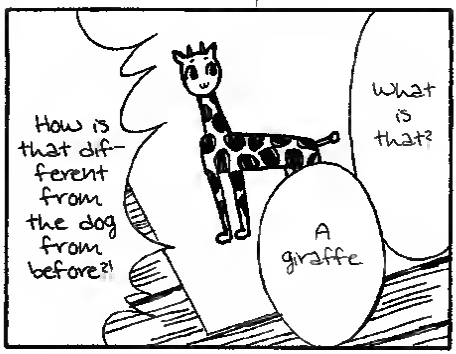


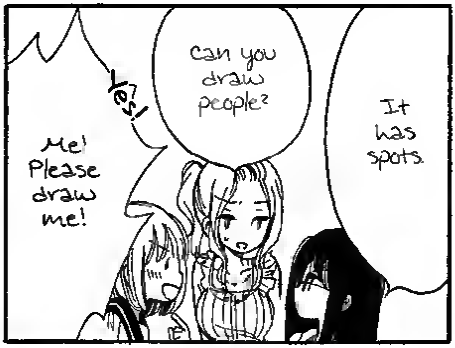


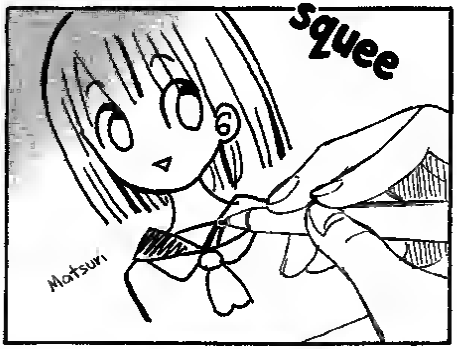


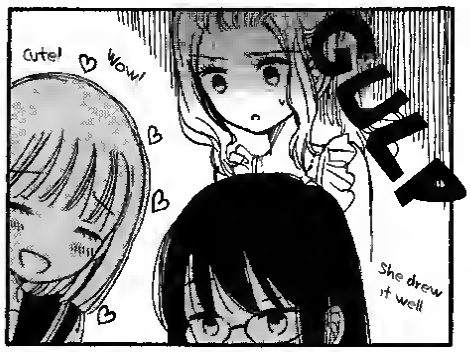
↑ Person who was invited but declined

Scary









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